



HAMILTON COUNTY COALITION to **STOP** FRAUD, SCAMS & ABUSE



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*Hamilton County Fraud Coalition, Ohio Attorney General's office and
Mayerson JCC partner to hold free financial fair and fraud panel discussion*

WHEN: TODAY, March 8
10am – 1pm
*Panel discussion at 11:30am – 12:30pm

WHERE: Mayerson Jewish Community Center
8485 Ridge Road
Cincinnati, OH 45236

WHAT: The Hamilton County Coalition to Stop Fraud, Scams and Abuse is joining Ohio Attorney General Mike DeWine and other government and non-profit organizations to recognize National Consumer Protection Week (NCPW), March 4-10, 2012. During NCPW, organizations across the country share tips and information that help consumers protect their privacy, manage money and debt, avoid identity theft, and avoid fraud and scams.

The Mayerson JCC will host the local NCPW event with a Senior Resources Fair and Fraud Panel Discussion. Experts from local, state and national agencies will provide information to attendees to help educate on financial wellness, consumer protection and fraud and scams. A panel discussion of experts at 11:30am will allow attendees to ask questions about fraud, identity theft and scams.

About the Hamilton County Coalition to Stop Fraud, Scams & Abuse

The Hamilton County Coalition to Stop Fraud, Scams & Abuse is a partnership of social service agencies, business leaders, nonprofits and local law enforcement united to pro-actively educate Hamilton County residents on the dangers of consumer fraud, identity theft and scams in our community. The Coalition developed a *Comprehensive Community Plan* to help consumers, created a website www.hamilton-co.org/fraud and conducts monthly community outreach events to educate citizens in our community to detect, prevent and report fraud and scams.

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